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In re Patent Application of:  
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For: PRINTING INKS FOR OFFSET AND/OR  
HIGH PRINTING CONTAINING NIR  
ABSORBERS AND NIR ABSORBERS  
SOLUBLE IN OFFSET AND/OR HIGH  
PRINTING INKS

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Examiner: V. F. Faison

**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated April 28, 2010, reconsideration of the application and prompt allowance of the pending claims are respectfully requested in light of the following remarks:

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.